(d) The strike was called off consequent on mutual settlements concluded between the concerned employees and managements.

1915. *[Transferred to the 24th March,* 1985].

Financing the public sector units

1916. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total amount of investment required for the public sector units in the fourth year of th« current Five Year Plan; sntl

(b) what steps are contemplated to be taken by Govt, to finance the pub-lie sector undertakings?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO) : (a) As per Budget Document 1988-89, total plan investment for the Central Public Sector Units in the Fourth year of the Plan is fixed at Rs. 13317.56 cro-res.

(b) Financing of plan projects in the public sector undertakings is done through redeployment of their internal resources, raising of extra-budgetary resources and budgetary support. The emphasis is on generation of more internal resources which in turn is dependent on the level of profitability. The various steps taken by the Government to improve performance and profitability of public sector undertakings are given at page-179 of Volume-1 of Public Enterprises Survey 1986-87 laid on the Table or the House on 25.2.1988.

Post offices in Madhya Pradesh

1917. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of post offices working at present in the State of Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to open some more post offices in that State if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a> As on 31.12.1987, there were 10,577 Post Offices functioning in Madhya Pradesh.

(b) Yes, Sir. The details are furnished in the Statement (See below)-

Statement

MADHYA PRADESH

Sl. No.	Names of new Post Offices sanctioned	Postal Division
1	Bawankheda	Raipur
2	Chhachhaupari	Raipur
3	Kaujan Kalan	Rewa
4	Atraula	Rewa
5	Virunga	Morena